

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Sarkis Barret KALINDJIAN et al.

Title: Histamine H₃ Receptor Ligands

Appl. No.: 09/622,544

Filing Date: October 13, 2000

Examiner: B. Kifle

Art Unit: 1624

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop AF
Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application and:

[X] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims As Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate		Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	30	-	30	=	0	Х	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims:	5	-	5	=	. 0	X	\$86.00	=	\$0.00
First p	resentation	of a	ny Multiple I	Depen	dent Claims:	+	\$290.00	=	\$0.00
					CLAIMS	FE	E TOTAL	=	\$0.00

[X] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

	TOTAL FEE:	\$110.00
[] Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract	ct ½ of above):	\$0.00
CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISCLAIMER	FEE TOTAL:	\$110.00
[] Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d):	\$110.00	\$0.00
EXTENSION	FEE TOTAL:	\$110.00
[] Extension for response filed within the fif th month:	\$2,010.00	.\$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,480.00	\$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$950.00	\$0.00
[] Extension for response fi led within the second month:	\$420.00	\$0.00
[X] Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$110.00	\$110.00

- [X] A check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action dated December 24, 2003, concerning the above-referenced patent application. While a shortened statutory period for response has expired, filed herewith is a Petition for a One Month Extension of Time to extend the period for response to **April 24, 2004**, thereby making this response timely.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 18 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows.

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